SENATE BILL 3426

By Burchett

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 18, relative to the non-smoker protection act.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1802(6), is amended by adding the following new sentence to the end of the subdivision:

For hospitals licensed pursuant to title 68 and title 33, "health care facility" includes the physical area immediately adjacent to the hospital's main buildings and other areas and structures that are not strictly contiguous to the main buildings but are located on property controlled by the hospital and within two hundred fifty (250) yards of the main buildings;

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2008, the public welfare requiring it.